

FBM216b Redundant HART® Communication Input Module



An FBM216 pair provides up to eight redundant HART® input channels. In a repair situation, when a single module is replaced the inputs are maintained by the redundant module. HART inputs are electrically compatible with 4-20 mA signals, permitting the plant to upgrade field devices without the need to change the control system.

OVERVIEW

The FBM216b Redundant HART Communication Input Module contains eight individually isolated input channels. It supports any mix of standard 4 to 20 mA devices and HART devices.

A pair of modules combines to provide redundancy at the Fieldbus Module (FBM) level, with field inputs wired to one common termination assembly (see Figure 1). In this configuration, one FBM216b is the Master, and the other is the Tracker.

The FBM216b serves as a HART communications field device host, enabling the Foxboro Evo™ system to request and receive two digital messages per second from each field device. The message pass-through capability can be used to support HART universal, common practice, and device-specific commands, but not the burst communication mode. These commands are implemented using the *Intelligent Field Device Configurator Foxcom™* and *HART™ Protocols* (IFDC — refer to PSS 21S-8A2 B3 for details).

The FBM216b provides individually isolated power supplies to power each of the eight channels.

Optionally, the channels for this module can be powered by an external power supply. However, when a common external power supply is used with two or more channels, a Cable Balun module is required to prevent HART communication channel crosstalk.

FEATURES

Key features of the FBM216b module are:

- ▶ Eight individually isolated analog input channels
Each channel accepts one of the following inputs:
 - Standard 4 to 20 mA analog sensor signal
 - Digital HART Frequency Shift Keying (FSK) signal superimposed on a 4 to 20 mA analog signal.
 - ▶ Module pair offers redundancy at the FBM level
 - ▶ FSK modem dedicated to each input channel for bi-directional digital communications with a HART field device
 - ▶ Analog to digital conversion of each of the 4 to 20 mA input signal from the HART devices
 - ▶ Support for the HART universal commands necessary to interface the field device with the Foxboro Evo system database
 - ▶ Per channel galvanic isolation of each of the 8 input channels from each other, ground and module logic
 - ▶ Compact, rugged design suitable for enclosure in Class G3 (harsh) environments
 - ▶ High accuracy achieved by sigma-delta data conversions for each channel
- ▶ Termination Assembly (TA) for locally or remotely connecting field wiring to the FBM216b
 - ▶ Termination Assembly provide for per channel internally and/or externally loop powered transmitters.

HIGH ACCURACY

For high accuracy, the module incorporates a Sigma-Delta converter which can provide new analog input values for each channel every 100 milliseconds.

COMPACT DESIGN

The FBM216b has a compact design, with a rugged extruded aluminum exterior for physical protection of the circuits. Enclosures specially designed for mounting the FBMs provide various levels of environmental protection, up to harsh environments per ISA Standard S71.04.

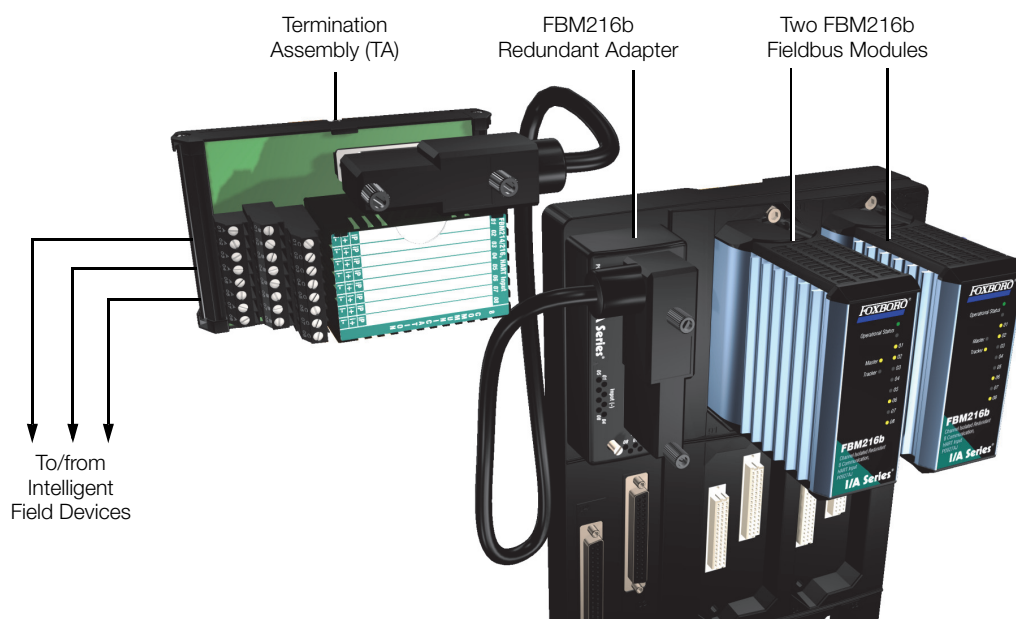


Figure 1. Redundant FBM216b Module Configuration

HIGH RELIABILITY

The redundancy of the module pair, coupled with the high coverage of faults, provides very high subsystem availability time.

Either module may be replaced without upsetting field input signals to the other module. A module can be removed or replaced without removing field device termination cabling, power, or communications cabling.

REDUNDANT ANALOG INPUTS

For each input operation, identical reads are sent to both modules, fully exercising the Fieldbus and the logic circuitry of each module. Each input channel accepts an analog sensor input or a self-powered 4 to 20 mA source. Device power from each module is diode OR'd together in the redundant adapter to ensure redundant power.

The microprocessor of each module executes the analog I/O application program, plus security routines that validate the health of the FBM. Input channel security is enhanced by redundantly powering the input current loop from per-channel power supplies in each module of the pair.

VISUAL INDICATORS

Light-emitting diodes (LEDs) incorporated into the front of the module provide visual indication of the module’s operational and redundancy status, and communication activity on the channels. Two additional LEDs provide the master or tracker status of the modules.

FIELDBUS COMMUNICATION

A Fieldbus Communication Module or a Control Processor interfaces the redundant 2 Mbps module Fieldbus used by the FBMs. The FBM216b module accepts communication from either path (A or B) of the redundant 2 Mbps fieldbus – should one path fail or be switched off at the system level, the module continues communication over the active path.

The use of an external power supply common to two or more loops requires a Cable Balun module to maintain communication signal line balance.

MODULAR BASEPLATE MOUNTING

The module mounts on a modular baseplate. The modular baseplate is either DIN rail mounted or rack mounted, and includes signal connectors for redundant fieldbus, redundant independent dc power, and termination cables.

Redundant modules must be located in adjacent positions on the baseplate (positions 1 and 2, 3 and 4, 5 and 6, or 7 and 8). To achieve redundancy, a redundant adapter module is placed on the two adjacent baseplate termination cable connectors to provide a single termination cable connection (see Figure 1). A single termination cable connects from the redundant adapter to the associated termination assembly (TA).

TERMINATION ASSEMBLIES

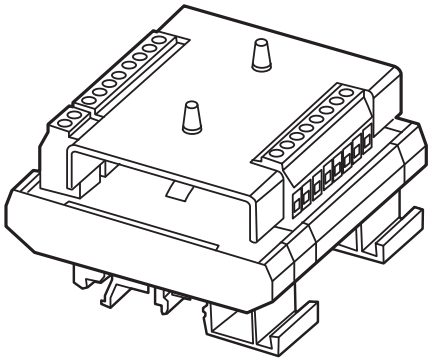
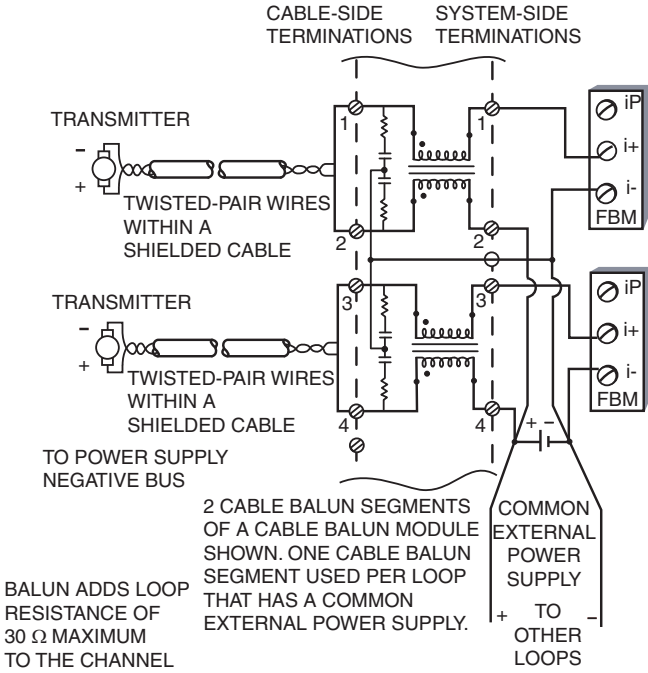
Field input signals connect to the FBM subsystem via DIN rail mounted TAs. The TA used with the FBM216b is described in “TERMINATION ASSEMBLIES AND CABLES” on page 10.

CABLE BALUN MODULE

The Cable Balun module is used to maintain digital communication line balance for HART Transmitter to FBM loops that are powered from a common external power supply. This powering effectively connects one line of each loop together. Without the Baluns, in each loop so powered, the common connection at the external power supply, would cause near end crosstalk at the system end of the loop wiring cable. Loops using FBM internal power source do not require Baluns.

The Cable Balun module contains multiple Baluns. One Balun segment is interconnected in each loop powered from an external power supply per the diagram below. There is one Cable Balun module for four channels.

Cable Balun Module		
Module Model	Module Part No.	No. of Baluns in the Module
CBM-4	P0903SV	4



CABLE BALUN MODULE

Figure 2. Cable Balun Module

FUNCTIONAL SPECIFICATIONS

Field Device Channels

SUPPORTED HART INSTRUMENT TYPES

HART instruments compliant to Version 5, 6, or 7 of the HART specifications may be used

INTERFACE

8 individually isolated channels

COMMUNICATION TO THE DEVICE

Point-to-point, master/slave, asynchronous, half-duplex, at 1200 baud

ERROR CHECKING

Parity on each byte, and one CRC check byte

SPEED

2 messages per second

FASTEST ALLOWED ECB BLOCK PERIOD

100 msec - However, it is recommended that you refer to the *Sizing Guidelines and Excel Workbook* appropriate for your Control Processor to determine the optimal loading for a 100 msec Block Processing Cycle (BPC).

MAXIMUM DISTANCE (FBM216b TO FIELD DEVICE)

Meets HART FSK physical layer specification HCF_SPEC-54, Revision 8.1 [up to 3030 m (10000 ft)]⁽¹⁾

INTERNAL LOOP SUPPLY COMPLIANCE VOLTAGE AT TERMINATION ASSEMBLY

18.5 V dc minimum at 20.5 mA

CURRENT INPUTS

Sense Resistor

280 Ω $\pm$ 0.02%

Total Input Resistance Including

Redundancy Adapter

280 Ω nominal

CURRENT INPUTS (CONT.)

Analog Accuracy (Includes Nonlinearity)

$\pm$ 0.075% of full scale

Temperature Coefficient

50 PPM/ $^{\circ}$ C

Resolution

15 bits

Update Rate

100 ms

Integration Time

500 ms

Common Mode Rejection

>100 db at 50 or 60 Hz

Normal Mode Rejection

>35 db at 50 or 60 Hz

LOOP POWER SUPPLY PROTECTION

Each channel is individually galvanically isolated, current limited and voltage regulated. All field connections are limited by their design to less than 37 mA with a single module installed (72 mA when redundant modules are installed).

I/A SERIES/CONTROL CORE SERVICES

Requires I/A Series software v8.2 to v8.8 or Foxboro Evo Control Core Services software v9.0 or later.

(1) The maximum allowable distance decreases when the loop is operated through an intrinsic safety barrier. The maximum distance of the field device from the FBM is a function of compliance voltage, wire gauge and voltage drop at the device.

FUNCTIONAL SPECIFICATIONS (CONTINUED)

INPUT RESISTANCE INCLUDING TERMINATION ASSEMBLY AND REDUNDANCY ADAPTER

Externally Powered

282 Ω

Internally Powered

302 Ω

FBM INTERNAL POWER FOR FIELD DEVICE

Per channel isolated 24 V dc $\pm 10\%$ supply. Loop supply output impedance is 20 Ω including the termination assembly.

ISOLATION

The individual channel inputs and loop supplies are galvanically isolated from each other, ground and module logic.

The module's isolation is designed to withstand, without damage, a common mode potential of 600 V ac applied for one minute between the isolated input circuits and earth (ground), or between a given channel and any other channel.

CAUTION

This does not imply that these channels are intended for permanent connection to voltages of these levels. Exceeding the limits for input voltages, as stated elsewhere in this specification, violates electrical safety codes and may expose users to electric shock.

Fieldbus Communication

Communicates with its associated FCM or FCP via the redundant 2 Mbps module Fieldbus

Power Requirements

INPUT VOLTAGE RANGE (REDUNDANT)

24 V dc $+5\%$ -10%

CONSUMPTION

7 W (maximum)

HEAT DISSIPATION

4 W (maximum)

Regulatory Compliance

ELECTROMAGNETIC COMPATIBILITY (EMC)

European EMC Directive 2004/108/EC

Meets: EN 50081-2 Emission standard

EN 50082-2 Immunity standard

EN 61326 EMC Standard (Industrial Levels)

CISPR 11, Industrial Scientific and Medical (ISM) Radio-frequency Equipment -

Electromagnetic Disturbance Characteristics - Limits and Methods of Measurement

Meets Class A Limits

IEC 61000-4-2 ESD Immunity

Contact 4 kV, air 8 kV

IEC 61000-4-3 Radiated Field Immunity

10 V/m at 80 to 1000 MHz

IEC 61000-4-4 Electrical Fast

Transient/Burst Immunity

2 kV on I/O, dc power and communication lines

IEC 61000-4-5 Surge Immunity

2kV on ac and dc power lines; 1kV on I/O and communications lines

IEC 61000-4-6 Immunity to Conducted Disturbances

3 V (rms) at 150 kHz to 80 MHz on I/O, dc power and communication lines

IEC 61000-4-8 Power Frequency Magnetic Field Immunity

30 A/m at 50 and 60 Hz

FUNCTIONAL SPECIFICATIONS (CONTINUED)

Regulatory Compliance (Cont.)

PRODUCT SAFETY

European Low Voltage Directive 73/23/EEC

SAFETY CERTIFICATION (FBM AND CABLE
BALUN)

*Underwriters Laboratories (UL) for U.S. and
Canada*

UL/UL-C listed as suitable for use in Class I,
Groups A-D; Division 2; temperature code
T4 enclosure based systems. These
modules are also UL and UL-C listed as
associated apparatus for supplying non-
incendive circuits for Class I, Groups A-D
hazardous locations when connected to
specified Foxboro Evo processor modules as
described in the *Standard and Compact 200 Series Subsystem User's Guide*
(B0400FA). Where power is supplied by the
FBM, communications circuits also meet the
requirements for Class 2 as defined in
Article 725 of the National Electrical Code

(NFPA No.70) and Section 16 of the
Canadian Electrical Code (CSA C22.1).
Conditions for use are as specified in the
*Standard and Compact 200 Series
Subsystem User's Guide* (B0400FA).
*European Low Voltage Directive 2006/95/EC
and Explosive Atmospheres (ATEX) directive
94/9/EC*
CENELEC (DEMKO) certified for use in
CENELEC certified Zone 2 enclosures and
certified as associated apparatus for
supplying non-incendive field circuits for
Zone 2, Group IIC, potentially explosive
atmospheres when connected as described
in the *Standard and Compact 200 Series
Subsystem User's Guide* (B0400FA). Also,
see Table 1 on page 11.

Calibration Requirements

Calibration of the module or termination assembly is
not required.

ENVIRONMENTAL SPECIFICATIONS⁽²⁾

Operating

TEMPERATURE

Module

-20 to +70°C (-4 to +158°F)

Termination Assembly

-20 to +70°C (-4 to +158°F)

RELATIVE HUMIDITY

5 to 95% (noncondensing)

ALTITUDE

-300 to +3,000 m (-1,000 to +10,000 ft)

Storage

TEMPERATURE

-40 to +70°C (-40 to +158°F)

RELATIVE HUMIDITY

5 to 95% (noncondensing)

ALTITUDE

-300 to +12,000 m (-1,000 to +40,000 ft)

Contamination

Suitable for use in Class G3 (Harsh) environments as
defined in ISA Standard S71.04, based on exposure
testing according to EIA Standard 364-65, Class III.

Vibration

7.5 m/S² (0.75 g) from 5 to 500 Hz

(2) The environmental limits of this module may be enhanced by the type of enclosure containing the module. Refer to the applicable
Product Specification Sheet (PSS) which describes the specific type of enclosure that is to be used.

PHYSICAL SPECIFICATIONS

Mounting

MODULE

FBM216b mounts on a modular baseplate. The baseplate can be mounted on a DIN rail (horizontally or vertically), or horizontally on a 19-inch rack using a mounting kit. Refer to *Standard 200 Series Baseplates* (PSS 31H-2SBASEPLT) for details.

TERMINATION ASSEMBLY

The TA mounts on a DIN rail and accommodates multiple DIN rail styles including 32 mm (1.26 in) and 35 mm 1.38 in).

Weight

MODULE

284 g (10 oz) approximate

TERMINATION ASSEMBLY

Compression

181 g (0.40 lb) approximate

Dimensions – Module

HEIGHT

102 mm (4 in)

114 mm (4.5 in) including mounting lugs

WIDTH

45 mm (1.75 in)

DEPTH

104 mm (4.11 in)

Dimensions – Termination Assembly

See page 13.

Part Numbers

FBM216b

P0927AJ

TERMINATION ASSEMBLIES

See “FUNCTIONAL SPECIFICATIONS – TERMINATION ASSEMBLIES” on page 10

REDUNDANT ADAPTER

P0924DT

Termination Cables

CABLE LENGTHS

Up to 30 m (98 ft)

CABLE MATERIALS

Polyurethane or Low Smoke Zero Halogen (LSZH)

TERMINATION CABLE TYPE

Types 1 – See Table 2 on page 12.

CABLE CONNECTION – TA

FBM Baseplate End

37-pin D-subminiature

Termination Assembly End

25-pin D-subminiature

Field Termination Connections

COMPRESSION-TYPE ACCEPTED WIRING SIZES

Solid/Stranded/AWG

0.2 to 4 mm²/0.2 to 2.5 mm²/24 to 12 AWG

Stranded with Ferrules

0.2 to 2.5 mm² with or without plastic collar

TERMINATION ASSEMBLIES AND CABLES

Field input signals connect to the FBM subsystem via DIN rail mounted Termination Assemblies. The TA for the FBM216b is available in Polyamide (PA) material with compression screw terminations.

See the following “FUNCTIONAL SPECIFICATIONS – TERMINATION ASSEMBLIES” for the TA used with the FBM216b.

The FBM216b pair and redundant adapter combination provides sufficient loop resistance to allow use of the HART Hand-Held Terminal, or *PC20 Intelligent Field Device Configurator* (PSS 2A-1Z3 E).

A removable termination cable connects the DIN rail mounted TA to the FBM via a field connector on the baseplate in which the FBM is installed. Termination cables are available in the following materials:

- ▶ Polyurethane
- ▶ Low Smoke Zero Halogen (LSZH).

Termination cables are available in a variety of lengths, up to 30 meters (98 feet), allowing the Termination Assembly to be mounted in either the enclosure or in an adjacent enclosure. See Table 2 for a list of termination cables used with the TAs for the FBM216b.

FUNCTIONAL SPECIFICATIONS – TERMINATION ASSEMBLIES

FBM Type	Input Signal	TA Part Number	Termination	TA Cable	TA Certification
		PA ^(a)	Type ^(b)	Type ^(c)	Type ^(d)
FBM216b	8 input channels, 4 to 20 mA analog signal, alone or with HART signal superimposed	P0924JH	C	1	1, 2

(a) PA is Polyamide rated from -20 to +70°C (-4 to +158°F).

(b) C = TA with compression terminals; RL = TA with ring lug terminals.

(c) See Table 2 for cable part numbers and specifications.

(d) See Table 1 for Termination Assembly certification definitions.

Table 1. Certification for Termination Assemblies

Type	Certification ^(a)
Type 1	TAs are UL/UL-C listed as suitable for use in Class I; Groups A-D; Division 2 temperature code T4 hazardous locations. They are CENELEC (DEMKO) certified EEx nA IIC T4 for use in Zone 2 potentially explosive atmospheres.
Type 2	TAs are UL/UL-C listed as associated apparatus for supplying non-incendive field circuits Class I; Groups A-D; Division 2 hazardous locations when connected to specified 200 Series FBMs and field circuits meeting entity parameter constraints specified in <i>Standard and Compact 200 Series Subsystem User's Guide</i> (B0400FA). They are also CENELEC (DEMKO) certified as associated apparatus for supplying field circuits for Group IIC, Zone 2 potentially explosive atmospheres. Field circuits are also Class 2 limited energy (60 V dc, 30 V ac, 100 VA or less) if customer-supplied equipment meets Class 2 limits.

(a) All TAs are UL/UL-C listed to comply with applicable ordinary location safety standards for fire and shock hazards. Hazardous location types comply with ATEX directive for II 3 G use. They also comply with the requirements of the European Low Voltage Directive. All listings/certifications require installation and use within the constraints specified in *Standard and Compact 200 Series Subsystem User's Guide* (B0400FA) and the conditions stated in UL and DEMKO reports.

Table 2. Cables Types and Part Numbers

Cable Length m (ft)	Type 1 P/PVC ^(a)	Type 1 LSZH ^(b)	Type 1 H/XLPE ^(c)
0.5 (1.6)	P0916DA	P0928AA	P0916VA
1.0 (3.2)	P0916DB	P0928AB	P0916VB
2.0 (6.6)	P0931RM	P0928AC	P0931RR
3.0 (9.8)	P0916DC	P0928AD	P0916VC
5.0 (16.4)	P0916DD	P0928AE	P0916VD
10.0 (32.8)	P0916DE	P0928AF	P0916VE
15.0 (49.2)	P0916DF	P0928AG	P0916VF
20.0 (65.6)	P0916DG	P0928AH	P0916VG
25.0 (82.0)	P0916DH	P0928AJ	P0916VH
30.0 (98.4)	P0916DJ	P0928AK	P0916VJ

(a) P/PVC is polyurethane outer jacket and semi-rigid PVC primary conductor insulation. Temperature range; -20 to +80°C (-4 to +176°F).

(b) Low smoke zero halogen or low smoke free of halogen (LSZH) is a material classification used for cable jacketing. LSZH is composed of thermoplastic or thermoset compounds that emit limited smoke and no halogen when exposed to high sources of heat. Temperature range: -40 to +105°C (-40 to +221°F)

(c) H/XLPE is Hypalon outer jacket and XLPE (cross-linked polyethylene) primary conductor insulation. Temperature range: -40 to +90°C (-40 to +194°F). Hypalon cables are no longer available for purchase.

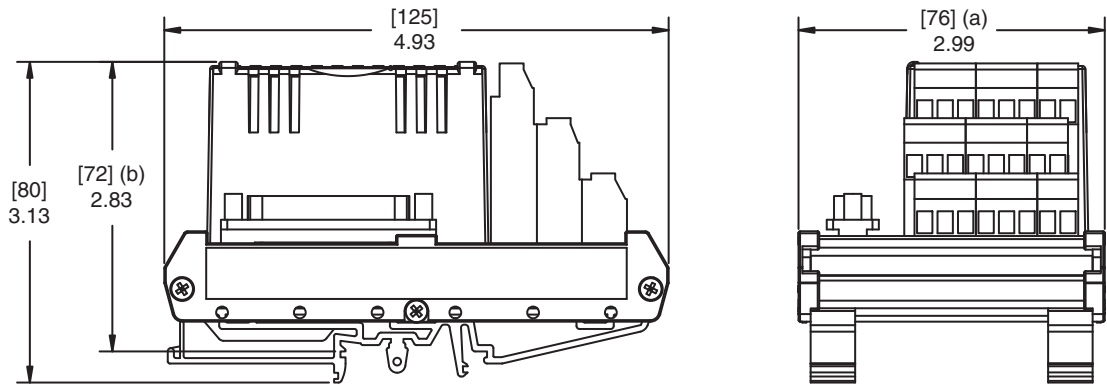
Use of Termination Assemblies in 100 Series Upgrade Subsystem

When an FBM216b is used for redundant field I/O from HART devices, it may use the P0924JH termination assembly in 100 Series Fieldbus Module Upgrade subsystems.

DIMENSIONS – NOMINAL

[mm]
in

Compression Termination Assembly - P0924JH



- (a) Overall width – for determining DIN rail loading.
(b) Height above DIN rail (add to DIN rail height for total).

RELATED PRODUCT SPECIFICATION SHEETS

PSS Number	Description
PSS 31H-2S200	Standard 200 Series Subsystem Overview
PSS 31H-2W100	100 Series Fieldbus Module Upgrade Subsystem Overview
PSS 31H-2CERTS	Standard and Compact 200 Series I/O - Agency Certifications
PSS 31H-2SBASEPLT	Standard 200 Series Baseplates
PSS 21S-3CP270ICS	Control Processor 270 (CP270) Integrated Control Software



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